Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 04 Aug 2022 until 23:59 on Friday 05 Aug 2022

Forecast Issued on Thursday 04 Aug 2022 at 02:21 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for Thursday and Friday. Low for extent of low cloud and any rain on Saturday. High for improving conditions on Sunday.

Headline for Thursday 04 Aug 2022: Sunny intervals and scattered showers, drier later

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 04 Aug 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Sunny intervals	Heavy rain showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
40%	30%	30%	30%	20%	20%

Forecast for Thursday 04 Aug 2022

Weather: Variable amounts of cloud and scattered showers. Turning drier and brighter through the afternoon with a mostly dry end to the day.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%

Low Cloud and visibility: Generally excellent visibility with great air clarity. Cloud mostly confined to 900 metres or above.

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Forecast for Thursday 04 Aug 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	20/24 W	18/24 NW	16/23 W	19/26 W	19/26 W	18/24 W	18/23 W
900	15/18 W	15/21 NW	14/20 W	15/22 W	16/22 W	12/18 W	13/18 W
600	12/18 W	12/20 W	12/20 W	12/20 W	11/20 W	10/18 W	9/17 W
300	6/12 SW	10/20 NW	10/20 NW	7/15 W	9/18 W	4/10 W	4/10 NW
Glen	6/13 W	9/18 W	10/19 NW	9/17 W	8/16 W	4/11 W	5/11 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	4/-2	4/-1	5/0	6/1	5/-0	3/-2	2/-3
900	6/2	6/2	7/4	8/4	7/3	5/1	4/-0
600	8/5	9/6	10/8	11/8	10/7	7/5	6/3
300	10/9	12/10	14/12	14/12	13/11	9/9	8/7
Glen	11/10	13/11	15/13	14/13	14/12	10/10	8/7
Freezing Level*	1700m	1600m	1600m	1600m	1600m	1500m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Note low temperatures at height

Forecast for Friday 05 Aug 2022
Weather: Sunny spells and a few passing showers, but a lot of dry weather expected through the day too.

Maximum wind: Westerly 25 mph on the summits

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%

Low Cloud and visibility: Excellent visibility with great air clarity. Cloud confined to highest tops and above

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 4 rising to 17 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 8 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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